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# UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

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Attorney Docket No.	5015.1004
First Inventor	RODOUSAKIS et al.
Title	CONNECTION ARRANGEMENT TO CONNECT TWO FLEXIBLE TANKS OF AN AIRCRAFT
Express Mail Label No.	EV 319078885 US

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## APPLICATION ELEMENTS

See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.

- Fee Transmittal Form (e.g., PTO/SB/17)  
(Submit an original and a duplicate for fee processing)
- Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27.
- Specification [Total Pages 8]
  - Descriptive title of the Invention
  - Cross Reference to Related Applications
  - Statement Regarding Fed sponsored R & D
  - Reference to sequence listing, a table, or a computer program listing appendix
  - Background of the Invention
  - Brief Summary of the Invention
  - Brief Description of the Drawings (if filed)
  - Detailed Description
  - Claim(s)
  - Abstract of the Disclosure
- Drawing(s) (35 U.S.C.113) [Total Sheets 2]
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- Oath or Declaration [Total Pages 1]
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  - Copy from a prior application (37 CFR 1.63 (d))  
(for a continuation/divisional with Box 18 completed)
    - DELETION OF INVENTOR(S)**  
Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 CFR 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
- Application Data Sheet. See 37 CFR 1.76

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## ACCOMPANYING APPLICATIONS PARTS

- Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
- 37 C.F.R. §3.73(b) Statement  Power of (when there is an assignee) Attorney
- English Translation Document (if applicable)
- Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) PTO-1449  Copies of IDS Citations
- Preliminary Amendment
- Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503) (Should be specifically itemized)
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## 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Entity Small Entity

Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
1001	750	2001	375	Utility filing fee	750
1002	330	2002	185	Design filing fee	
1003	520	2003	260	Plant filing fee	
1004	750	2004	375	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL (1)

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## 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	-20**	=	0	X	18	=	0	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims	1	-3**	=	0	X	84	=	0	
Multiple Dependent									

Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Description
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1202	18	2202 9 Claims in excess of 20
1201	84	2201 42 Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	280	2203 140 Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	84	2204 42 ** Reissue Independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205 9 ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840	1805	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
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1252	410	2252	205	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	930	2253	465	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,450	2254	725	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	1,970	2255	985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	320	2401	160	Notice of Appeal	
1402	320	2402	160	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	280	2403	140	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	2451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,300	2453	650	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,300	2501	650	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	470	2502	235	Design issue fee	
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1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
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1810	750	2810	375	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
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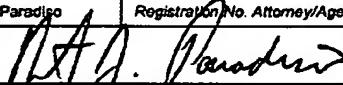
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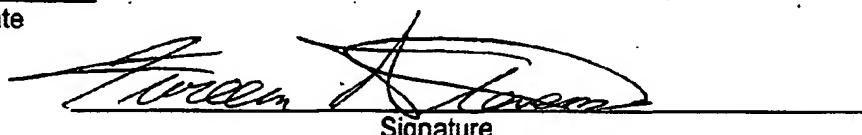
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